

## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 789

By Harrison

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize John Austin Greene,  
2012 Valedictorian of Hancock County High  
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, John Austin Greene is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2012 graduating class at Hancock County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, John has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Greene has earned an exemplary grade point average while dedicating his time and energies to numerous extracurricular organizations; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards and accolades, John Greene was granted membership into 4-H All-stars and the Honor Club and is the recipient of the 4-H Vol State Award as well as numerous Outstanding Student Awards and Gold Cards; and

WHEREAS, in his free time, he enjoys playing guitar and singing in his band, camping, watching baseball, and spending time with family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Greene's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as he pursues a career in dentistry; and

WHEREAS, his noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Brian and Jennifer Greene, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, John Greene's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2012 Hancock County High School Valedictorian, John Austin Greene, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.